# THE "STANDARD'S" DAY

It Puts in I's Defense in the Suit Brought By Seligman.

MANY WITNESSES TESTIFY

Miners Swear That Threats Were Made to Hang the Plaintiff— The Provocation for the "Standard's" Talk.

Special to the Standard. DEER LODGE, Oct. 27.—This was the day for the defense in the trial of the case of Seligman against the Standard Publishing company. The first of the newspaper's witnesses was W. W. Walsworth, who was put on the stand to identify the printed report of the speech made by Mr. Seligman before the reputlican state convention held in Butte in September, 1890. It was the violent language of this speech which prompted th publication in the STANDARD, two days later, of the editorial comment on which Seligman brought his suit. The witness identified the report of the Seligman speech as given in the files of the Inter Mountain, the Miner, and in the Mining Journal. In the sentence near the close of the speech to hich particular attention was directed Mr. Seligman says the democracy of Montana seeks fraudulent vindication for the crimes of leaders who owe the state a term of service in the penitentiary.

The accuracy of the report of the speech was established by the testimony Walsworth and that of E. H. Cooney, the second witness of to-day The Seligman speech is full of wholesa bitterness and violent remarks regarding democrats and democratic leaders. It was read in the hearing of the jury. There is a revised version of this speech in print. It was issued last autumn as a republican campaign document. This was offered in evidence and there was a long contention over it. Argument on this point took up most of the time till noon. It was finally admitted and, to the edification of the jury and the audience in the court room, Judge doing the elecutionary act in dramatic style. The document is ridiculously partisan and wickedly severe in its strictures not to be republicans.

After the noon recess, J. H. Durston, managing editor of the STANDARD, was examined. He testified that he wrote the article on which the suit was brought and that he was prompted to do it by reading Mr. Seligman's speech, particularly his assertion regarding a term of service due in the penitentiary from democratic leaders. The witness said that he knew the assertions made by Mr. Seligman to be false and that he was stirred by them, that the assault of Mr. Seligman was aimed at friends and asso ciates of the witness, and that he wrote the editorial as a protest against the attack made by Seligman.

Mr. Durston's attention was directed to an article which appeared in the Butte Miner of September, 1890, This article was put in evidence, it was read in court and it proved to be so caustic in its criticism as to suggest the query whether they might not have been quite as appropriately as the STANDARD the victim man's demand for dollars the way of damages, Mr. Durston's direct examination closed with evidence

"What do you say with reference having any malice toward Mr. Selig-

"I am sure I was not prompted by any sentiment of malice. I was doubtless angered at the time because I knew that Mr. Seligman was saying what was not

"And the substance of the article you had heard commonly reported?"
"Very commonly and I believed it."

Mr. Carpenter conducted the cross-ex-amination. The language repeated by Mr. Seligman in his speech was carefully gone over and the witness was asked to say where he heard the story of Seligman and his arrest at the Gregory mine. Several occasions were men-

You had referred to Mr. Seligman before that time, hadn't you?" "Yes, sir; very pointedly."
"Do you remember what you referre

"I quoted words which had been credited to Mr. Seligman, and added if Mr. Seligman said this he is a liar." You commented also on his persons appearance, didn't you?"

'I don't recall it." "Did you ever speak of him as hook. nosed?"
"Yes, sirt I remember using that ex-

What expression ?" "The adjective you quoted."
"You referred to him as a hook-no liar, didn't you?"
"I think not. I recall now the entire

phrase. I was directing attention to something Mr. Seligman had said which igman says this he is a liar, and if this hook-nosed coward wants to take it up all he has to do is to press the button just once.' I was aroused at the time by what Mr. Seligman had said about some of my

ou remember using any other terms of affection toward Mr. Seligman?" "I fancy some things I said were prompted by another sentiment than af

Will you define malice?" "That would trouble me, perhaps, but I can account for my conduct. I believed that what I wrote was honest and that

there was warrant for writing it, and it was not written in malice." Following Mr. Durston, David Marks W. R. Kenyon, Edward Cooney and J. H. Leyson testified that the story of Mr. Selgman's arrest was matter of current ruor. James Nolan, William Johnson, T. J. Murphy and Con Sullivan, who were miners at the Gregory, testified that Selishment of a Je militon dollars in grand was arrested and that threats were 1,000 square miles.

uttered that if he didn't settle he would be hanged. The defense concluded its testimony before court adjourned this evening. It is believed that the case will be concluded Wednesday night.

MISSOULA COURT NOTES.

The Chinese Outrage Case-Long Ti Telle His Story.

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Missocia, Oct. 27.—The district court was occupied most of the time to-day in overruling metions and objections made by the atterneys for the defense in the case of the State vs. W. S. Lair et al. In the testimony to-day nothing was brought forward to incriminate the defendants, the state being engaged in proving that the crime alleged in the information was committed. The atterneys on both sides are making a hard fight.

The motion of the defendants' counsel to allow six peremptory challenges for

to allow six peremptory challenges for each defendant, making 30 in all, was each defendant, making 30 in all, was overruled, and the jury was sworn as follows: Paul Cyr, V. A. Clark, Frank D. Jaquette, David Lewis, Charles Manges, W. H. Reed, J. M. Shephard, George Slocum, Moise Tetrault, Frank Westler, George R. Woodward and Thomas Woodford. Attorney Joseph K. Wood appeared to assist in the to assist in the prosecution. The attor-neys for the defense moved that Messrs. Woody and Wood be excluded from assisting in the prosecution, as they were not employed by the state or county. This was overruled. It was also moved by the defense that County Attorney Webster be excluded from conducting the prosecu tion, as he would receive part of the re-muneration received by Judge Wood; because of the firm arrangement existing between them. Messrs. Woody, Webster and Wood were put on the stand and swore to the partnership agreement existing between them. Judge Woody also swore that he, as an individual, had been promised remuneration by certain prominent Chinamen here. The matter was settled by County Attorney Webster's signing a relinquishment to all money that might come to him out of Judge Woody's remuneration. The de-fense objected to this. Objection over-ruled and an exception taken. Long Ti was then put on the stand and after considerable quibbling and taiking abou the nature of Chinese oaths and cutting chicken's throats as a part thereof, he commenced his festimony through an interpretor. He testified to being asleep in his cabin on the night in question, when he was waked by a noise. He got up and went towards the door when it was broken open and he was knocked down. Several men dragged him out and down towards the river. Some said "kill him," and others "throw him in the

was an ax outside of the door, but he did not get hold of it.

Ai Keet was called this afternoon and testified much as Long Ti had done con-cerning the entrance of the cabin by the white men. He said that when they took Long Ti out he got under the bed but a distance, cut his queue off and dipped him in tar. On his return he found the box containing his money broken into

along the south bank to the bridge and into the city. He said that he had nothing in his hand when he was struck. There was an ax outside of the door, but he did

and \$465 gone. He was followed by Lee Fook, who testifled to going home from town, meeting the men with Ai Keet and biding till they had passed. He came to the city and no tified the police and on returning to the

James Lyons, charged with being implicated with Swarts and McCarrick in destroying the plumbing in the Rankin and Union blocks, was to-day arraigned and plead not guilty.

Pat Fitzpatrick, convicted of grand lar ceny in stealing some watenes, etc., at Nozon, was to-day sentenced to two years

#### in the penitentiary. KOOTENAI INDIANS.

M jor Ronan Instructed to Place Then on the Flathead Reservation.

Missoula, Oct. 27.—Major and Mrs Ropan are in from the Flathead agency to-night. In accordance with instrucleave shortly for Northern Idaho, where there is trouble between a band of Koote nai Indians and white settlers. there two years ago and offered the band their choice of reservations to go. They preferred taking land where they severalty. They never secured title to it, and this summer white settlers rushed in and jumped it. In July a delegation of them visited the Flathead agency and asked permission for the band to remove Now Major Ronan goes to the with authority to remove them to the reservation at once if they desire to come.

As Chief Ameas' band of Kootenais is already there, there will probably prefe

this to any other reservation.

Bishop Brondel passed through here to night on his way home to Helena from Portland, where he attended a meeting of his province.
Governor Toole and Attorney General

Haskell are here assisting in the appraisement of land on the school section the work will require several days. John Dorsey, assistant superintendent of Rocky Mountain division, is here from

Walter J. McDermott, whose feet were crushed at the depot yesterday, is doing

fairly well to-lay. General Marion came in from Frenchtown to-night.

A Partial Pallure.

BERLIN, Oct. 27 .- It is reported that Major Wissman has resigned from his position in East Africa because Baron Soden forbade him transportation in a steamer to Victoria Nyanga. The balance of the fleet of the East Africa company made a very unfavorable showing. A loss of 100,000 marks arose from the Zan-zibar agreement with England. The total

working deficit is 200.000 marks. For a Jewish Settlement,

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27 .- The Argentine government has sold a tract of land in Grand Chaco, the northern part of the republic, to Baron Hirsh for the estab-lishment of a Jowish settlement. One million dollars in gold has been paid for TROUBLE IN IRELAND.

About the Attempt to thew Up the Office of the National Press,

DUBLIN, Oct. 27.—The National Press,
the McCarthyite organ, referring to the attempt to blow up the office last night with a bomb says: "The men who laid the infernal machine at our doors have been taught for the past 10 months by the Freman's Journal and by the Usified Ireland that freedom of opinion will no longer be tolerated, and that every opposing nationalist may righteously be mobbed, and if necessary murdered. They are the instruments of crime who have been educated by their masters to have been educated by their masters to the cowardly practice of their own pre-cepts of Paraellism. With the death of their creator they have descended to the practices of nihilists."

CORK, Oct. 27.—The feeling aroused throughout Ireland and especially in this city by recent political and factional sayings and doings are very bitter and threatens to result in serious conflicts be-tween the McCarthyites and the Parnellyesterday evening at the close of the varus political meetings. Sticks and sto were freely thrown. The result is that a number of the members of the opposing parties are being nursed in the hospitals and elsewhere for wounds incurred dur-

ing the fray. William O'Brien and John Dillon arrived here to-day. The two distinguished members of parliament were met by deputation and an enormous crowd of people. The procession was headed by a brass band and escored by a strong de-tackment of police. There was no dis-turbance. O'Brien during his speech at the assembly rooms said he was willing to give fair play to his opponents but added that he would not yield "to brick-bats and dynamite bombs." Continuing O'Brien said they (the Parnellites) might blow up the office of the newspaper representing the views of the McCarthyites, "but," he exclaimed, "they cannot destroy the spirit which animates that party." As soon as the convention closed its proceedings Dillon and O'Brien passed through the city still accompanied by the procession which met them at the railroad station. Suddenly the McCarthyites were attacked by a large mob of Parnellites. Both sides fought desperately with sticks, clubs, shovels and pikes. A detachment of mounted police were sent for and they spurred their horses in between the two lines of combatants striking right and left with the flat of their sabers amid two crashing showers of stones and bricks. A large number were wounded and stretched bleeding and groaning in the streets before the troopers restored or-der. A neighboring hospital had to find accommodation for many wounded per-sons by the time hostilities suspended. There is excitement everywhere in Cork this evening. Antagonistic groups, it is feared, will reassemble, and there is dan-ger the battle between them will be re-

The National Press also declares after he explosion of the bomb in the Abbey street area, 50 or 6) men, supposed to be part of a gang of Parnellites to whose credit the explosion is placed, poured into the National Press offices shouting "To hell with the Healy murderers; Is

### SUFFERING AMONG THE POOR.

Sed Results of the Severe Storms and

Floods in Spain. MADRID, Oct. 27 .- Thro there is more or less evidence of the damage by floods, and of so severe a nature are these inundations in many submerged districts acute distress prevail ing the poorer class of inhabitants The Ebro continues to rise and is flo ing the streets of Tortosa, in the province of Tarragona, and placing the surroundng country under water. On all sides an immense amount of damage has been done. Many villages are entirely isolated from the surrounding towns and hamlets and there has been a great loss every where in live stock and crops. The vilages of Gualchos and Urce, near Granada, are completely inundated.

### Fires in Oklahoma

ST. LOUIS. Oct. 27.—A dispatch from Guthrie, O. T., giving further particulars of the prairie fires, says that in the lowareservation where the grass is heavy the damage is great. The district burned is 10 miles wide and 50 long. It is reported here that several persons have perished. Another fire started in the rank grass along the Cimarron river, 39 miles north-west of here on Saturday night and burned 50 farm houses and much stock. A number of people are missing, and it is almost certain that some have died in the flames. The village of Cimarron is completely wiped out, and many inhabitants are badly burned. They saved their lives by jumping into the river. The mail carried from Muthall was caught and totally burned. Reports from the burned districts are very meager, but the damage runs well up towards \$100,000.

Prairie fires are still burning south and southeast. Great damage has been done to farm property, a number of actilers having lost their homes and all their property. If the fire obtains a headway in the timber great losses will follow timber great losses will follow Only three houses were left standing it Cimarron City, and a number of people were painfully burned. To-night the of grass is very rank and danger is ap

The Atlantic & Pacific Wreck. FLAGSTAFF, Ariz., Oct. 27 .-- Almost every body on board the San Francisco expres on the Atlantic & Pacific road, wrecked yesterday at Pinevelas, received a severe shaking up, while some were seriously injured. It is thought that Mrs. Mary Thistler of Kingman, Kan., will proba-bly die. Among the injured is D. Mozgo

Anti-Jowish Riots.

VIENNA, Oct. 27.—Dispatches from Russia tell of anti-Jewish riots in several places. In Thernagoff 50 Jows were killed and hundreds wounded. The forts are full of Jewish refugees dying of starvation. The car has sent a commissioner

# INSTRUCTIONS TO EGAN

Orders From the State Department About the Chilian Ontrages.

VIEWS OF THE PRESIDENT

Reparation Must Be Made or Diplo matic Relations Shall Be Dis-continued-Honor of the Country.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27 .- The telegram which was sent by the president's order to Minister Egan on the 231 inst., after reciting the facts of the assault on the Baltimore's sailors and the results of Captain Schley's investigations, says:
"You will observe the board of officers
selected by Schley to investigate this affair report our sailors were unarmed and gave no provocation; that assaults upon them were by armed men greatly supe rior in numbers, and as we must con-clude, animated in their bloody work by the hostility to these men as sailors of the United States. You will also notice the character of some of the wounds indicate the public police, as some of them took part in the attack, and will also observe that other American sailors were without apparent fault arrested and for some time held by the authorities. The friendly efforts of a few of the police officers to give succor to our men furnishes the only edeeming incident of this affair. cruel work, so injurious to the United States, took place on the 16th inst., and yet no expression of regret or of purpose omake a searching inquiry with a view of the institution of proper proceed-ings for the punishment of the guilty parties has been, as far as I am advised. offered to this government. You will at once bring to the attention of the govern-ment of Chili the facts reported to you by Captain Schley and will inquire whether there are any qualitying facts in possession of that govern-ment or any explanation to be offered of the event, that has very deeply pained the people of the United States, not ly by reason of resulting in the death of some of our sailors and the pitiless apparent expression of unfriendlines owards this government, which might put in peril the maintenance of amicable relations between the two countries. If the facts are as reported by Captain Schley, this government cannot doubt that the government of Chili will offer prompt and full reparation. You will furnish the foreign affairs a full paraphrase of this dispatch and report promptly to this government."

## AN OHIO CYCLONE,

Great Damage Caused in the Little City

CONNEAUT, Onio, Oct. 27 .- At 6:30 last evening a terrible cyclone swept over the town, destroying about 39 houses. The streets were blocked by trees and debris from demolished buildings. A large butter tub factory, owned by C. J. Reed, was badly wrecked, a thousand dollars' worth of stock being completely destroyed. Reed's loss is about \$50,000. The planing mill of H. E. Pond, adjoining Reed's, is greatly damaged. His lumber is strewn all over town and two smokestacks were blown down. Many fine residences and fered heavily, roofs being torn off and windows broken. The telegraph lines of the Lake Shore and Nickel Plate roads were torn down. Two telegraph were blown through the roof of the Lake Shore depot. Buildings are strewn all along the track, rendering it impossi oving trains. The total loss is

### Massacred By Natives.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 27 .- Louis Duffy, fireman on board the steam whales Grampus, arrived here from Ounalaska on the Mohican and brings confirmation of the news that the Grampus' crew was massacred by natives. Duffy says he de-serted the Grampus at Port Clarence last July on account of ill treatment. Duffy spent nine months among the natives at Cape Prince of Wales, and says three natives from Point Barrow related how the erew of the Grampus abused the native women while the ship was fast in the ice at the mouth of the Mackensie river. The husbands and friends of the women attacked the ship, killing all but a few on board and took complete possession of

BRUSSELS, Oct. 27.— The Courier publishes a decree, alleged to have been is sued by the late Pope Pius, with reference to future conclaves. The decree confirms the exclusive right of the cardi nals to elect a pope, free from any inter-vention on the part of the powers. It also declares that the cardinals in Rome at the time of the death of the pope ought to decide whether the election of a new pope should take place outside of Italy, and if any attempt should be made to in erfere with the conclave it should be ransferred beyond Italy.

### Money Office Service.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—A convention has been signed by the postmaster general for the establishment of exchange ney orders between the United States and the British colony of Trinidad and ago which is to go into operation on the 1st of January next.

### The Cabinet Meets,

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27 .- The cabinet nceting to-day was attended by all the members except Secretary Foster. It is supposed the session was mainly devoted to a discussion of the Chilian situation.

### Four Men Killed,

GREAT FALLS, Oct. 27 .- As a result of the premature blast on the Great Northern extension, mentioned in last night's dispatches, four men are dead and two

Great Falt.' Postmaster.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The president to-day appointed Silas A. Beachly post-master at Great Falls, Mont.

CLEVELAND SPEAKS. An Address Before the Members of the

New York Democratic Club. New York, Oct. 27.—When Groves Cleveland was a presidential candidate in 1884, the leading men of his party on produce exchange organised a "Business Men's association," which was a very active organisation and was maintained and last winter was incorporated as the New York Democratic club. Under the auspices of a campaign meeting heid at Union square to-night, at which a series of resolutions of bitter tenor regarding the loss of the world's fair to New York and other topics were passed, ex-President Cieveland was then introduced as

chairman and spoke in substance as fol-

Mr. Cleveland said, those engaged in business pursuits have kept too much aloof from public affairs, and too generally acted upon the theory that neither their duty as citizens nor their personal interests required of them its dividual interests in political movements This indifference and inactivity have resulted in a loss to the public service. The ex-president said he is firmly of the belief that if a few business men could be substituted for professional men in official places, the people would positively gain by the exchange. Mr. Cleveland had something to say about the proper adjustment of the tariff, the economical administration of state affairs, and ridiculed the republican plan of shrick ing throughout the state, the demerits and dangerous proclivities of a certain political organization whose members support the principles and candidates of the democratic party. Even if all they alleged against this organization were true, the perils they present are baseless and absurd and every man ought to satify himself whether the principles and candidate of the party are such as he ap-

Mr. Cleveland closed with reference to the purity of Flower's business career nd approved the other candidates. Both Mr. Cleveland and Governor Hill,

who also spoke, were roundly cheered.

TILDEN'S WILL. The Court of Appeals Decides in Favo

ALBANY, Oct. 27 .- The court of appeals rendered a decision this morning ,in the case of George H. Tilden vs. Andrew H. pellants, and Laura Bressard et al. respondents, affirming the judgmen with costs payable to all parties out of the estate. This renders the Tilden trust void and is in favor of the beirs.

Under the statute of distribution that regulates the inheritance of property the issue of Mrs. Pelton and Henry A. Til the sister and brother of Governor Tilden, come in for an equal share of \$8,000,000. Mrs. William B. Haxare is the only heir on the Pelson side and thus is entitled to \$4,000,000. The other \$6,000,000 is subject to the claims of the six children of Henry A. Tilden. They are George H. Tilden, S. J. Tilden, jr., Mrs. William B. Whittlesey, Mrs. Swan, a widow who lives in New Lebanon, Mrs. Willis S. Payne and Mrs. Schwarts of New York.

After considering various other features in connection with the devised trust, the decision says the ulterior prosision can-not be eliminated from the will without destroying the scheme that the testator designed for the disposal of his estate. As the selection of the objects of the trust was delegated absolutely to trustees, there mand any part of the estate or maintain an action to compel the trustees to execute the power in their favor. This is a fatal defect in the will. The will of the trustees is made controlling and not the will of the testator. Such authority is in ntravention of the statutes of the will.

### THREE MEN KILLED.

An Explosion Toil wed by Fire Results

in the Loss of Life and Property. CLEVELAND, Ohio, Oct. 27.—The factors of the United States Mine Supply company was destroyed this afternoon by an explosion followed by fire. The first explesion, which is supposed to have been powder, demolished the roof and part of Several other lighter explosions followed and then fire completed the work of destruction. John Finl were killed, and several others employed severely injured. Pecuniary loss, slight, The residence of James Fergu totally destroyed and his wife and 10-

barns of Silas Peeler were torn to pieces and a large number of cattle di The Record building was unroofed and the engine room destroyed.

## HOW IT HAPPENED.

Wrecking of the Despatch.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17. - Lieutenant Cowles of the wrecked United States steamer Despateh, read a statement before the board of inquiry to-day, showing he had left everything in good shape before turning in for rest. He expected to be called for Winter Quarter or if any thing was seen, but had set safe the course for the night. When the vessel struck, be immediately went on sleck and saw a red light which Lieutenant Mulligan and the quartermaster had thought was Winter Quarter. It proved to be Assateague. The vessel had changed her course because he was sure the light was Winter Quarter shoal lights. All of the crew and officers corroborated his state-

King Meets Emperor. BERLIN, Oct. 27 .- King Charles of Roumania arrived to-day. He was met by Emperor William and the princess of

the imperial family.

The kaiser gave a grand banquet this evening in honor of the king of Roumania. The toests were of a most cordial character. Subsequently the ka

witnessed a magnisium torch parade from the balcony. Another Suit for Libel.

MONTREAL, Oct. 27 .- Secretary of State Chapicau has entered action against the Toronto Globe for libel, in stating that he offered to sell his contingent of the con-servative party to the liberals during the

# GREAT FALLS EVENTS

Silas A. Beachly Will Sacceed Postmaster Taylor.

TO PREVENT SMUGGLING

Preparing to Plac , Mounted Police on the Canadian-American Line-Caught Fish With a Seine.

Frecial to the Standard. GREAT FALLS, Oct. 17 .- Silas A. Beachly was to-day appointed poetmas-ter in this city by the president, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Charles Taylor. Mr. Beachly will assume the duties of his new office as soon as his commission arrives, which will probably be in about two weeks. Mr. Taylor has made a host of friends during his term of effice, and although some little dissatisfaction has been created faction has been created the present postal system, generally conceded that he over it is generally conceded that he abored under many difficulties. Only a faw days ago a telegram was received here, stating that the president had relused to accept the resignation of Mr. Taylor until a thorough investigation had been made into the charges preferred against him. What action had been taken in the meantime cannot ascertained. It is said that several off partment here with the removal of Mr.

Gust Anderson, a young man, was arrested this morning by Deputy Sheriff
Scott Morrison, on a warrant charging
him with seining in the Missouri river
above the great falls, in direct violation
of the statutes. A warrant has also been issued for the arrest of young Anderson's father on the same charge. Both father and son are said to have been doing this kind of business all summer, and the officials have been watching them for

some time. Frank Dowd, United States cus collector at Sweet Grass on the boundary line, is in the city tc-day. He states that the government has a number of special agents on the border to examine into the necessity of establishing a mounted po-lice patrol force to guard against Chinese immigration, and immigration, and the importation of opium into this country. It is probable that a force of 30 soldiers will be detailed

to patrol the frontier.
William Healy, Thomas Dolan and Frank Williams were arraigned before Judge Benton this afternoon, charged with having committed the Mack dismond robbery in this city about two months ago. After some argument by the attorneys the hearing was continued to Nov. 5.

Advices were received from Neibart to-day officially announcing the completion of the Great Northern road to that place. It will, however, undoubtedly be several days before traffic is commenced over the

### KILLING THEM OFF.

People Opposed to the Junta.

New York, Oct. 27.—A letter from Iquique, Chiti, dated September 6, says:
Reports received here from the south state that a large number of executions have occurred in Santiago and Valpaare people who have been particularly active in their opposition to the revolu-tionists, but none of them are persons of any special prominence. Commercial of any special prominence. Commercial affairs in Iquique and in all other ports in the northern part of Chili are in a peculiar condition at the present time. During the revolution ports in the south of Chili were closed against those in the north and no produce of any kind was received here from the south. Comsequently large cargoes, principally of flour and hay were imported here from San Francisco and other foreign ports. More of these articles were received here than could be consumed at the time, and the merchants at Iquique, An and other northern points now have large stocks on hand which they are unable to dispose of. They will suffer heavy los

### FATAL COLLISION.

Four Men Killed in a Wreck Near Gles-

wood, Minn.

GLENWOOD, Minn., Oct. 27.—A rear end collision occurred last night at Thompson station, eight miles east of here, between the regular cast-bound freight and an extra following. The regular train was switching at the time the accident occurred. The extra came at full speed, completely telescoping the caboose of the regular, killing four persons and seriously wounding seven others. The dead are: O. E. Holmes, traveling saleman for Seabury & Co., St. Paul; Fred Renn, Conrad Prince of Brazil, and John Coffin of Montecello, Minn. Physicians fin of Montecello, Minn. Physicians were hurriedly brought and cared for the wounded. Holmes' body was torn to pieces and Fred Renn was roasted to death. It is reported that the company d the arrest of Conductor Woo and Engineer Smith of the extra, the blame appearing to rest with them.

Buined Her Business EOSTON, Oct. 27 .- Maria Kullbury, a storekeeper of East Boston, has sued Father Hugh O'Donnell, a Catholic priest, for \$5,000 for ruining She alleges that because she refus send her children to the parochial sel the priest publicly boycotted her from the

Lottery Men Arrested. SIOUX FALLS, S. D. Oct. 27 .- This of

ernoon the district attorney received word from New Orleans that the lotter; defendants had been arrested and asked on what date they should give bonds for their appearance here. He will have the cases for the adjourned term in Decem-ber.

Will Make Moxican Scames, Washington, Oct. 27.—The bureau of American republics is informed that Mexico has entered into a contract with Captain Brenton of the British navy to fit out a training ship for the education of Mexican hors.